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[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
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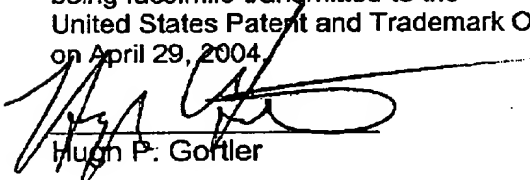
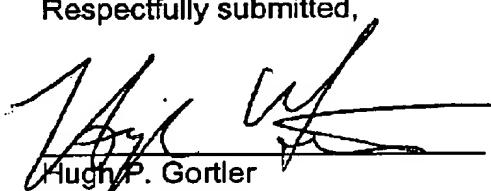
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B-04AMENDMENT

This amendment is being filed in response to the office action dated January 30, 2004. The amendment includes a section for amendments to the claims, and a section for remarks.

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